

THE CLIMAX.

FRENCH TIFTON, Wm. G. WHITE.
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1888.

The State Senate has passed a bill to allow grand jurors \$2 per day.

The Louisville Southern is coming right through Richmond, and coming this year.

The Legislature has been requested to revive the whipping-post, and ought to do so.

Ex-Governor Knott has been admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States.

Indianapolis had a fire among its wholesale houses on Friday night that destroyed nearly a million dollars worth of property.

J. Tweed Stuart, who married Miss Theresa Blackburn, daughter of Senator Blackburn, October 10, died in California on Monday.

The House committee has reported in favor of Representative Jones from Tennessee taking his seat. There will be a minority report.

Lamar has been confirmed by a vote of 32 to 28 as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Also Vilas and Dickinson have been confirmed.

Richard A. Sanson, the assistant post-master at Knoxville, Tennessee, has been indicted for embezzling \$3,100 belonging to the Government. "Turn the rascal out."

The sensational Arbuttle vs. Campbell breach of promise case was decided in the New York courts last week. "Bunnie" Campbell got \$45,000 damages. From all such suits good Lord deliver us.

The Legislature is inclined not to pass any prohibitory liquor laws for specified localities. If the people of a locality want the sale of liquors stopped, let them so vote at the polls, as they have a right to do.

Two men were rescued from a mast-head of a smelter vessel in Chesapeake Bay, near Harve de Grace, Md., on last Friday, who had been clinging there for fifty-four hours without food or sleep. They were nearly perished.

The Representative from Lincoln county, Republican, says of the editor of the Stanford Journal, Democrat, that he "loves slander better than the buzzard loves carrion." In reply the Journal calls the Representative "a very cheap and sorry black-guard." So now.

Mr. Augustus Sharp, of the well-known firm of Sharp and Middleton in Louisville, has been awarded \$45,000 for breach of promise, has attracted the attention of the entire country. When the Kentucky Press Association met at Ashland in 1880, the people of Ironton, Ohio, just across the river, invited the Association over to a banquet. Miss Clara Campbell, who lives in that city, was present, having returned from Europe where she had studied music for several years in the conservatory of Milan. She sang for the entertainment of the editors, and in consequence was complimented by all the newspapers in Kentucky. They expected to hear of her next as a second Jenny Lind or Patti, but instead she shows up as the plaintiff in the now famous and meteoric like damage suit of Campbell vs. Arbuttle.

Hon. A. T. Cheannit favors the whipping-post, as applicable to cases as petit larceny. There are those that pronounce the whipping-post, "a relic of barbarism." That may be, but Kentucky has many barbarians with whom to deal. Hanging is a relic of barbarism, and a decidedly essential one.

Ex-Governor Nichols, of Louisiana, was named for Governor by the Democratic convention at Baton Rouge, last week. He was the first Democrat elected Governor of Louisiana after the reconstruction act, and did noble work for the party. The "Sugar State" can congratulate herself on the prospect for a good Governor.

The Texas State-house is nearing completion and will be dedicated in May. It cost seven million dollars, and the dedication will be one of magnitude, rather intersting in character. If Kentucky could have her State-house finished at a cost of half a million or even a quarter of a million, she would be satisfied without any jubilee at all.

The 41st Regiment, Kentucky volunteers, claims never to have been mustered out of the service, has had a meeting at Covington for the purpose of being mustered out, and to inaugurate an effort for back pay amounting each to \$3,500. As the war closed 23 years ago, it is well that they be released from their peculiar military duty. They may ought to stop with the day peace was declared.

A terrible blizzard raged in the North-west for several days last week. For a few hours the ice dust was so thick in the atmosphere that one could not see forty feet, and a human voice could not be heard six feet. The thermometer was 30 below in places. Travel in every form was stopped. The signal service comes to the aid of the inhabitants, and they are not caught so much unawares as heretofore. A number of lives were however lost.

The public school system is just now receiving additional encouragement and recognition. The semi-centennial celebration of its founding began at Frankfort, on the 10th.

The address of welcome was delivered by Governor Buckner, and the response delivered by Hon. W. F. Bullock, author of the school law. Numbers of distinguished gentlemen were present, and a most interesting time will be to all who are interested in educational movements.

The schools are growing better year by year, slowly though surely.

LOUISVILLE AS A MULE MARKET.

The Courier-Journal announces that Louisville is the largest mule market in the world, except St. Louis. This is an important fact not known to the people of Kentucky. Mules are shipped from Louisville to almost every State in the Union, and to Mexico, South America and the West Indies. Pennsylvania is largely supplied from Louisville.

Louisville has long been the largest tobacco market in the world, and to be the second largest mule market is adding to an already large trade. Kentucky may be slow in some things, but is ahead in many ways than perhaps any other State. Hides, tobacco, mules, horses, cattle, hemp, and whisky are products of which she can well boast.

HEROES.

We have always contended that too much prominence is given to the deeds of the law by the press in general, and especially by the dailies. The Christian Standard appears to be of like opinion, as is shown by the subject of that paper: "The great daily papers are, perhaps unconsciously, becoming most powerful educators and encouragers of brutality and crime. They are fast assuming the office of making roughs and rascals famous and popular. Large and prominent space is given to the doings of gamblers, burglars, pugilists, thieves and murderers. One great daily recently had the portrait of an infamous scoundrel in three successive issues, and gave his doings in such fascinating fashion as to arouse hundreds of his kind to envy and emulation."

The action of the committee in the Carlisle contested case has set at rest all possibilities as to a vacancy, but before that was done a Washington correspondent of the New York Morning Journal looked over the Congressional field for fit material as a successor in the chair Mr. Carlisle. He says:

McCree, of Kentucky, a comparatively new member, could, with Mr. Carlisle's personal backing, secure the prize. He is a man of distinguished presence, captivating manners and fine ability as a presiding officer. He was twice Speaker of the House of Representatives of his State, and Governor. He was called to the chair by the Speaker of the last Congress, and made a good impression on all occasions. He is a warm friend of the President, and has stood by him from the beginning of his administration.

Mr. Gillett immediately moved to reconsider, but Mr. Hendrick succeeded in laying this table.

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BETTER TIMES.

Times are evidently better now than they have been for several years. Money is more plentiful and live stock commands better prices than for many a day. This condition is not at all local. It extends far and wide over the country. The Philadelphia Press says that ocean freights began to rise about four months ago, principally upon the short distance voyages about Great Britain. English ports which at the opening of the year had 100 or 200 steamers lying idle were suddenly emptied, and all the tonnage in existence found employment. The shipyards have been so overtaxed by the demand for new steamers that shipbuilders are charging 25 per cent more for new vessels than three months ago. Activity in much the same line has added enormously to rolling stock in the United States. 14,000 freight cars having been built in 1887, and the Pennsylvania railroad having added nearly 1,000 to its large part of the year at the rate of one an hour. This great increase in the freight of the world on land and sea, is a mark as much of enlarged demand as of growing production, and it suggests the possibility that the causes which have so long been reducing prices are nearing their end.

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The Relation Which Natural Sweetness of Disposition Bears to Life. One hears much talk about refinement, and the idea of it is often very vague. What's refinement? We are not of those who think that it consists of a studied glossiness of dress and manner. Some very refined people dress shockingly, and they even have quite loud voices, and yet their good breeding is patent to all eyes.

Some once met a whole family of delicate ladies at a fashionable summer resort on the banks of the Indiana, whose idea of refinement was languor and ill-health. They thought it was the only way to be healthy and strong; quite too mannish, indeed, in a lady!

Among some people, size is thought to have a good deal to do with refinement. They are sure that a large, gross to be fair; coarse to have weight and monstrosities to have prominent features. A large neck, large cheeks or lips are especially exposed to all remarks.

William Patterson, condemned to be hanged January 27th, for the murder of Jennie Bowman, in this city last spring, has been transferred to cell No. 6 in the county jail, where he will remain until his execution on the 27th day of execution. The about scenes preceding the execution at Turner will not occur in the case of Patterson, the jail authorities having learned wisdom from experience.—Courier-Journal.

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SPRING LAMBS. Good Extra Heavy . . . \$5 75 to 6 00 Good Butcher . . . 5 25 to 5 50 Fair Butcher . . . 4 50 to 5 00 Common and Tail Ends . . . 3 75 to 4 00

HOGS. Select Butchers . . . \$5 55 to 5 65 Fair to Good . . . 5 00 to 5 50 Good to Extra Lights . . . 4 00 to 4 25 Light Pigs . . . 4 75 to 4 90 Roughs and Scallaws . . . 3 75 to 4 25

Local Produce Markets. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY COVINGTON, ARNOLD & RO, GROCERS, IRVINE STREET, KENTUCKY.

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Reef Cattle, Butcher . . . 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 Hogs . . . 4 00 to 4 50 Bacon Cured Hams . . . 13 1/2 to 15 Cured . . . 12 1/2 to 15 Butter . . . 15 to 20 Eggs . . . \$1 50, 1 75 to 2 00 Wheat . . . 70 to 75 Flour . . . \$2 25 to 2 50 Corn per barrel . . . \$2 25 to 2 50 Hay, per 100 lbs . . . 40 to 45 Oats in sheaf, per 100 lbs . . . 11 to 12 Tallow . . . 2 1/2 to 2 50 Beeswax . . . 15 to 20 Meal . . . 40 to 45 Oats per bushel . . . \$1 00 to 1 25 Orchard Grass . . . \$1 00 to 1 25 German Millet . . . 50 to 60 Timothy Seed . . . \$3 00 to 3 25 Clover Seed . . . 5 25 to 5 50 Oats in sheaf . . . 11 to 12 Choice blue grass seed . . . 60 to 75 Red top seed . . . 1 00 to 1 25 Sweet Potatoes . . . 1 00 to 1 25 Irish Potatoes . . . 75 to 80

THE HEAVY BOOT TRADE. Is about over, and Wallace has a quantity in stock which he means to dispose of at low prices, and at once. Call and examine these boots and shoes. They are full stock, well made, and the prices low. He does not intend to carry them into the spring and summer. He means to sell them and make room for spring and summer goods. Remember the place—the Burgin stand, formerly the Moberly stand, on Main street, third door from Brooks's corner, or third door below Second National Bank. Jan 17

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Mr. M. McCarty, as a matter of course, will continue at the Gas Works.

W. C. T. U. meets every Tuesday from 2 to 3 p. m. at the Woman's Exchange.

Mr. F. L. Ryker desires to exchange town property for a farm. See advertisement.

Mr. W. C. Peyton fell on the ice yesterday and was badly hurt as to be carried home.

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Mr. Jacob Collins will begin a foundation for a residence on one of the Lyman lots in a few days.

Attend Miss Helen Brown's recitation at the Baptist church tomorrow night. Always patronize a good cause.

The Ladies League has removed to the Whittier addition of the Willis House and will be open only on Saturdays.

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Mr. Geo. Myers is building a handsome two-story frame house on the lot adjoining Dr. Phil. Roberts on West Main street.

Mrs. M. J. Shearer will sell her farm of 160 acres eight miles from Richmond on the Jackson Creek turnpike, on Tuesday, January 21st.

The forty-foot singer is last in the bottom of the 1880-ton vessel. The most scientific fishing has so far failed to bring it up.

Mrs. Dolly Saunders, who resides near Kirksville, is fifteen years old and weighs 150 pounds. Besides she is considered quite pretty.

Mr. Anderson Wheeler, who lives near Silver Creek, has found a new way with 25 rows of grains which is a remarkably large number.

Miss A. D. Flora has rented her house on Second street, heretofore occupied by D. P. Arner, and will open a stock of millinery and fancy goods.

Two negro boys were up for petty larceny before Judge Rice, one for stealing two birds from S. Simpson's grocery and the other for stealing four horses.

Mr. Robt. Haun, who was formerly a resident of this place, has sold his house with all the furniture, including a fine piano, and will probably remove to Kansas City in April.

Mr. J. W. Cooper, of Winchester, has located in Richmond for the purpose of refitting fine furniture, pianos, organs, &c. He has secured rooms over C. Mumpkin's store at the depot.

Mr. J. S. Collins drops you several hints, elsewhere in this issue, concerning carpets, curtains and furniture. He cuts, matches, makes and lays your carpets for nothing. Could you ask more?

A man named Cox from Berea, went to Livingston to sell whisky. Unknown parties literally ridiculed his house with bullets during the night. Exit Cox in haste. The citizens declare no man shall sell whisky in Livingston.

The periodicals with THE CLIMAX at rates: Harper's Magazine and THE CLIMAX, \$1.50; Scribner and THE CLIMAX, \$1; St. Nicholas and THE CLIMAX, \$1; and so on through the list. These low prices are owing to our new arrangement.

There were 119 marriage licenses issued to the white people of Madison county and 50 licenses issued to the colored people for the year of 1887. And still there are a few old maids left. They will probably make the rift before 1888 is past.

There will be a total eclipse of the moon visible in this latitude January 29th. By central standard time the shadow will enter the earth's shadow at 3:21 p. m. The moon will enter its full phase about the 29th, and if the weather is favorable it will present a beautiful sight.

Mr. T. C. Armstrong, of Louisville, met with serious accident on last Thursday while the pavements, roads and everything outside were as slick as glass from the heavy snow. He slipped and fell on the pavement in front of Sackett & Willis' drug store and broke his arm just above the elbow.

The trial of Geo. White for feloniously shooting Frank Conway on Thursday, December 28th, came up for trial before Judge Chenault on Thursday last. Owing to the absence of Conway, the wounded man, who was unable to appear in court, the trial was postponed until to-morrow (Friday). White was held over under a \$1,200 bond.

"(Alamity) Walker, of Iowa has innocently pleased the farmers of his State by likening the tariff to a great cow with her hind feet on the Atlantic coast and her forward resting in the Mississippi Valley. "There she stands in all her grandeur," he shouts, "but do you notice farmers of Iowa, that the people of New England are milking and milking, while you are feeding and feeding her?"—Farmers Home Journal.

Leap Year Party.

The members of the Madison Club have tendered the use of their house to the young ladies of Richmond for a party for a leap year party. The ladies have accepted the generous offer, and the party, which is to be a splendid one, will occur early in February.

Why?

With horses, mules, hogs, sheep, tobacco, corn and wheat higher in price than they have been for a long time, and a bright prospect for a rise in the price of cattle, and with money more plentiful than in usually the state of case, why should there be any complaint of the times?

The Evangelist.

G. W. Dunlap was expected last night, to begin a series of meetings at the Court-house. Prof. Bistow, who is reported to have an unusually fine voice, is expected with him. Rev. G. W. Dunlap is a convert of Geo. O. Barnes, and will conduct his meetings similar to those of Rev. Barnes.

Big Wheat Sale.

Messrs. E. F. Farnham & Son have bought of the Richmond Elevator Company, twenty-four thousand bushels of wheat for \$19,800. This wheat was bought last fall at prices ranging from 70 to 80 cents. The Messrs. Farnham will use this wheat to supply the large demand on their mills for flour. The Richmond Elevator Company consists of Covington, Arnold & Bro., T. T. Covington, Farnham & Son and W. L. Crocker.

A Coincidence.

Mr. John Myers and Miss Annie B. Maize were married in Woodberry, South Carolina, on Thursday, December 30th, 1887. Mr. John Myers is a brother of Mr. Wm. and Geo. Myers, of this city, and spent most of his boyhood days here. There were six brothers whose wives had the same given name—Annie, and their only sister was named Annie. Several of them married ladies from other States.

Miss Brown's Recitation.

At the Baptist church in Richmond, on to-morrow night, Miss Helen Brown, of Louisville, formerly of the Richmond Baptist church, will recite. Miss Brown is a daughter of the late B. H. Brown, of St. Louis, a native of this place, and founder of the Register. She is an accomplished reader and eloquent, and ought to have a full house. She has been studying in Louisville for a year or two, and had previously studied in St. Louis. The small price of 25 cents will be charged.

The Library Magazine.

The January 7th issue, the first of the year 1888, contains the following interesting articles:

The First Chapter of Genesis, by Prof. W. Gray Elmstedt, Captured Bricks from the Catlopy, from *Black's Magazine*. The Time it Takes to Think, by J. M. C. Cattel. Cling Lake's Invasion of the Crimea, from the *Pall Mall Gazette*. Mr. Donnelly and Shakespeare, from *The Athenaeum*, and others. Single copies three cents; \$1.00 a year. Order direct—not sold by dealers. John B. Allen, Publisher, 305 West St., New York, or 236 Clark St., Chicago. The Library Magazine and THE CLIMAX for \$2.00.

For Governor of Arkansas.

The Courier-Journal in speaking of Arkansas politics, says a Richmond lady a very high opinion of Hon. J. P. Eagle is a candidate for Governor of Arkansas. "He has been in public service and has acquired himself well. Eagle is a wealthy planter. His candidacy is pronounced, and his wife, an accomplished lady, possessing as much political sagacity as Mrs. J. A. Logan, will be an important factor in furthering his aspirations." Mrs. Eagle was Miss Mary O'Hallam, the eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. K. O'Hallam who lived near Speedwell, and is very handsome in addition to her other accomplishments.

Sam Fox's Sale.

Anticlerical Z. E. Bash reports the sale of Mr. S. B. Fox, three and a half miles from Richmond on the Lexington turnpike, on last Saturday as follows: Good gravel. Household goods and farming implements sold low. Eight mules cost \$15 to \$40. Two-year-old heifers, \$23.50. Two-year-old steers, \$23. Wandering steer calves \$17. Wandering heifer calves, \$10. Steady \$14. Horses ranged in prices from \$72 to \$100. Two broke mules, \$23. One hundred 75-pound shots, \$3.25 apiece. Hay racks, \$20 to \$31.50—a low price. Game chickens, 25 cents apiece—bought by Dr. Roberts and Messrs. James Bennett and James Tribble.

A Madwoman Tackled.

The Winchester Democrat says: One night last week Mr. Will English, of Madison county, who had come from Cincinnati on the evening train, was attacked by two negroes who came into the car when all the passengers had gone to bed. English, being a very muscular man, knocked one of them out at the door and turned to receive the other, who made a hasty retreat, and before the one who fell could be reached, he was gone. A few doses of leaden pills and cold steel would have a very beneficial effect upon some worthless characters who will be good in every particular for the purposes of plunder.

Lease of the Gas Works.

Mr. B. F. Adair, who has managed the Richmond Gas-works for some months, has effected a lease for five years. He will at once extend the main pipe which is laid out on Main street, both East and West, and Orchard street from Main street to Irvine street, and erect a number more street lamps making near a hundred in all.

For some days the proper quality of coal could not be secured, as the Ohio River was too low, but a car has at last arrived and now the gas will be good in every particular. The Kentucky coal that is gotten here does not make good gas.

Mr. Adair's numerous friends here will be glad to learn that he is to continue in Richmond.

An Elegant Reception.

The Tribune and Sun of Jackson, Tenn., gives the following account of a New Year reception given by Miss Eunice Tomlin to Miss Mary Burman: Miss Eunice the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Judge Tomlin and her charming guest, Miss Burman, of Richmond, Ky., received from 7 to 11 o'clock, assisted by a host of young ladies. The large drawing-rooms were thrown open for the guests, which with the great hall and roomy alcove gave ample space for promenade and pleasant tea-tables. Sweet strains of music beaming all to the commodious dining hall, with its handsomely decorated and the refreshments were all that one could wish. Miss Tomlin received in green sash, over-dress of Brussels with wash trimmings. Her guest, Miss Burman, in white Chiffon silk, Paris lace, opals and diamonds.

Big Price for Tobacco.

Mr. Sam Weeks, who last year raised a crop of tobacco on the farm of Senator John D. Harris in this county, sold 25,000 pounds of the crop, last week, to Messrs. Chrisman & Rose, of Kirksville, at 20 cents per pound, or \$5,000. The average was 1,000 pounds, or \$200 per acre. Senator Harris furnished the land, and Mr. Weeks the teams and labor. Their part of the proceeds is therefore \$100 per acre—more perhaps than the land is worth. The price is probably the largest ever paid in the county—at least since the war—for tobacco in quantity. Speculations predict an immense acreage for tobacco the coming season, and the whole ones say that the prices will continue high.

Prize Fighting Youths.

Two young bloods of Lexington settled their little differences by a regular prize-fighting match, on Sunday, January 8th, Tom Allen son of Mr. T. N. Allen and Robt. Carr, son of Judge Clinton Carr both of Lexington "fired forth" to an old unused brick house on the farm of Mr. Percy Talbert and indulged in a prize fight. Allen stripped at 10 pounds and showed excellent training and fine condition. Carr though slightly in build was fully up to the notch in manly beauty. Nine rounds were fought and some lively punching indulged in. The fight lasted one hour and ten minutes and Allen was the winner. Mr. Percy Talbert refereed; Mr. Charlton Morgan, Allen's second, Mr. Alex Adams, Carr's second.

Open Session.

On Friday night the Philanthropic Society Hall at Central University was brilliantly lighted and filled with friends of the young gentlemen, to hear the oratorical contest for the best speakers medal in June. Mr. M. Crow, subject: "Principals and Policy." Mr. W. O. Sheenmaker, subject: "Robert Lee." Mr. J. R. Saunders, subject: "Triumph of Labor." Mr. J. M. Duncan, subject: "Poetry." Mr. W. Tyler, subject: "Through Thorns to the Stars." The young gentlemen spoke with ease and grace and their orations showed thought and careful study. The three following were appointed by the judges to represent the Philanthropic society in June: Messrs. Sheenmaker of Harrisburg, Saunders of Campbellville, and Duncan of Bloomfield. The judges were Prof. Ilgenmeyer, Harry Turner and Jerry Sullivan.

Election of Bank Officers.

On Tuesday January 10th, the following Bank officers were elected at the Second National Bank: Directors, J. P. Herndon, J. Stone Walker, D. W. Irvine, T. D. Chenault, Geo. Collins, John Walker, and W. T. Tevis. President, J. P. Herndon; Vice-President, W. T. Tevis; Cashier, J. Stone Walker; Teller, Edgar Taylor.

At the First National Bank: Directors, John Bennett, Cashier, S. P. Parker; Teller, R. B. Burman; Board of Directors: John Bennett, N. Jones, C. F. Burman, Jas. Bennett, Thos. J. Smith, S. P. Parker and R. F. Paris.

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Heard From.

Mr. G. W. Kildow, formerly a student in Central university, writing from Chattanooga, for THE CLIMAX to be sent him, says: Did not go to Brazil because of ignorance of language. Spent twenty days in the Alleghenies fishing, hunting &c. Took a very long trip to the capital in more ways than one, during ten days; went to Baltimore in the company of a mercantile house and remained there nearly three months, and then took a steamer for Savannah; remained there a short time and then came to this city in the employ of Carter, Magill & Ewing, wholesale hardware; good firm and doing an immense amount of business. Am well and doing well. "Magnetic force in Bluegrass is powerful," have been attracted thus far and feel the influence much. My hold on Chattanooga is slipping and I think I shall be drawn to Kentucky next fall.

See Dr. Adair occasionally. Seems to be well and doing well.

A Printer's Ink Man.

Prof. Wilbur R. Smith, of the Commercial College of Kentucky University, believes in the use of printer's ink. He has had prepared and sent out an eight page circular of his colored ink, the pages are half as large as those of THE CLIMAX. Then it is profusely illustrated, having pictures of himself, his father, the college, the court-house, the home of Henry Clay, his own home, the proposed Government building, other buildings and a number of his former students. Amusingly enough, the illustrations accompany their pictures, in Mr. J. Ellison Brock, of St. Louis, a native of Madison county. The biography recites among other things that he is chief accountant and cashier of the New Home Sewing Machine Company, wholesale department, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum. Prof. Smith is a doubter of the opinion that a man may be ever so worthy, or his goods, wares and merchandise ever so good, with prices below all others, yet the people must know it, and advertising is the medium.

A Texas Visitor.

Mr. J. W. Wilcox, of Grayson county, Texas, formerly of Estill county, near the Madison line, surprised his friends Christmas by a visit, after several years absence. He said: I take THE CLIMAX and keep posted about the happenings around my old home, and from the severe drought Kentucky had this summer, I expected to find all of my friends feeling very blue over crop failures, and hard times. Instead of dejected faces, razor-backed hogs and thin yaller dogs, what the first thing I heard as I approached Mr. B. F. Wilcox's home was a fiddle, drum and fife, and everybody having a big time and a regular "howdown" was at it. I found things looking much better than I expected. Mr. Wilcox reports better crops in Grayson county than they have had for twenty years; while in Western Texas the crop of wheat, corn, oats and cotton were almost a total failure. The wheat crop for the present year is good and Sherman is on a boom. For four years he reports cotton at 7 cents and 8 cents, now it is 9 cents, and on the rise.

numbered editions of London, his boom swelled with pride that he was an Anglo-Saxon. Three months ago he stood on Powell's mountain, in South-eastern Kentucky, and as far as the eye could sweep, North, South and West, he knew that "sealed with in the iron hills" was wealthier than the effects of a fall received in October, since which she has gradually declined till death came to her relief on the 11th. Her remains were interred in the Richmond cemetery January 13th. She was noted for energy, honesty of purpose and strict adherence to the truth even in jest. Her life has been one of varied experience and sacrifice for others, and we trust her spirit has found its rest.

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